United States Coast Guard



HULL INSPECTION BOOK

Name of Vessel		
Official Number		Class
Date Completed		Location
Vessel Built in Comp	liance with S	SOLAS: 60 74 74/78 N/A
Route		
Oceans	Limited Coas	stwise Lakes / Bays / Sounds
Coastwise	Great Lakes	s Rivers
Inspection Type		
Inspection for Certifi	cation R	Reinspection
(COI)		O Mid-Period
		O Other
		O First
		O Second Passenger vessels only
		O Third ノ
Inspectors		
1		3
2		4

Notes:			
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Use of Hull Inspection Book:

This inspection book is intended to be used as a job aid by Coast Guard marine inspectors during hull inspections of U.S. flagged vessels. The lists contained within this book are not intended to limit the inspection. Each marine inspector should determine the depth of inspection necessary. A checked box should be a running record of what has been inspected. It does not imply that the entire system has been inspected or that all or any items are in full compliance. This job aid does not constitute part of the official inspection record.

This document does not establish or change Federal laws or regulations. References given are only general guides. Refer to IMO publications, CFR's, NVIC's or any locally produced cite guides for specific regulatory references. Not all items in this book are applicable to all vessels.

NOTE: Guidance on how to conduct hull inspections of U.S. flagged vessels can be found in the Marine Safety Manual (MSM) Volume II, Chapter B1: Inspection of Vessels for Certification. All MSM cites listed in this book refer to MSM Volume II unless otherwise indicated.

Pre-inspection Items:

Post-inspection Items:

- · Review MSIS records.
 - MIPIP
 - MICOI
- Obtain copies of forms to be issued.
- Issue letters/certificates to vessel.
- Complete MSIS entries.
 - MIAR
 - MSDS
 - MIDR
 - VFLD
 - VFID
- Initiate Report of Violation (ROV) if necessary

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Deficiency Summary Worksheet:

Name of Vessel VIN Req't. Issued / Date Completed Deficiency MSIS Code

Involved Parties & General Information:

Vessel's Representatives	
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Phone Numbers	
Owner—Listed on DOC (if applicable), or COFR	
No Change	
Operator	
No Change	

☐ Abandon Ship I	<u>Drill:</u>	
General alarms / signals	Familiarity with duties	Boat release
Muster lists	Provide equipment	Boat operation
Muster of crew / passengers	Familiarity with equipment	Egress procedures
Crew response	Lower lifeboat	Davit-launched liferaft dri
Language understood by crew	Brake operation	Communication w/ bridge
Lifejackets	Engine start	Lighting
(SOLAS 74/78 III/18.3; MSM Vo	ol. II/C5.C.7.h)	
Location:	Tim	e to Water:
Notes:		

Section 2: Certificates and Documents

Name of Certificate	Issuing Agency	# Q	Port Issued	Issue Date	Exp. Date	Endors. Date
Certificate of Documentation No Change	nsce					
Classification Document No Change						
Certificate of Financial Responsibility (COFR) No Change	USCG					
Safety Construction (SLC) No Change						
Safety Equipment (SLE) No Change	nsce					
Safety Radio (SLT) No Change						

	Cargo oil containment	33 CFR 155.310	<u>Certificates:</u>	
	 Size Drains Scupper closures Fuel oil containment 	33 CFR 155.320	ISM CodeSafety Management SystemShipboard Operations Plan	SOLAS 74/78 IX/3
	PortableFixed	33 OFK 133.320	Stability letter posted in pilothouse	46 CFR 78.12-1 46 CFR 97.11-1 ICLL Reg. 10(2)
	Prohibited oil spaces	33 CFR 155.470	Annual drug and alcohol program audit	46 CFR Part 16
	Emergency shutdown	33 CFR 155.780	Officers' licenses current	
	Deck lighting	33 CFR 155.790	☐ GMDSS endorsement	47 CFR Part 80
	Oil transfer hose Condition	33 CFR 155.800	FCC Station License Safety Radio Certificate	
	MarkingsHose assembly requirements		☐ GMDSS maintenance personnel	47 CFR 80.1074
	Tests and inspectionsFuel tank vents		1st Class Radiotelegraph Operator's Certificate 2nd Class Radiotelegraph Operator's Certificate 3rd Class Radiotelegraph Operator's Certificate	e
	Flame screensClosuresPollution containment	33 CFR 155.320	Required international safety convention certificates posted and valid	
	Garbage Shipboard garbage properly disposed	33 CFR 151.63 MARPOL Ax. V/3	Liferaft servicing certificatesAnnual service	46 CFR 160.151-57(p) SOLAS 74/78 III/19.8
			☐ Cargo Gear Certificate	46 CFR 91.37-75
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	Fixed fire extinguishing systems Controls, instructions, marking Alarms tested Piping Heads, distribution Bottles weighed annually Bottles hydrostatically tested (every 12 years) Flexible loops tested or replaced (10% per year) Foam tanks (refilled or tested) Sea suction, strainers Fixed system tested Storage space / door Sprinkler head tank Type of system: (circle appropriate type)	46 CFR 71.25-20(a)(2) 46 CFR 71.25-20(a)(3) 46 CFR 76.15 46 CFR 76.17 46 CFR 76.23 46 CFR 76.25 46 CFR 91.25-20(a)(2) 46 CFR 91.25-20(a)(3) 46 CFR 95.15 46 CFR 95.17 SOLAS 74/78 II-2/21 MSM Ch. C2I.9 NVIC 6-72, Change 1 NVIC 8-73		Shipboard oil pollution emergency plan Approved by Coast Guard / class society Contact numbers correct Immediate Actions List Vessel response plan (vessels carrying oil as secondary cargo) Approved by Coast Guard Annual review by owner / operator Oil transfer procedures Posted List of products carried by vessel Description of transfer system including a line diagram of piping	MARPOL Ax. I/26.1 33 CFR 151.26 33 CFR 155.1030 33 CFR 155.1045 33 CFR 155.1065 33 CFR 155.1070 33 CFR 155.720	
	Low Pressure CO2 High Pressure CO2 Halon F Fire main system Pumps Piping Cut-off valves Drains Fire stations Hydrants (2 effective streams) Nozzles and spanners Fog applicators (<6 feet in length, in engineroom) Hose UL approved Correct length Markings Equipment compatible	46 CFR 76.10 46 CFR 95.10 NVIC 6-72, Change 1 SOLAS 74/78 II-2/4 SOLAS 74/78 II-2/21 46 CFR 76.10-10 46 CFR 95.10-10 NVIC 6-72, Change 1 SOLAS 74/78 II-2/4 SOLAS 74/78 II-2/4		 Number of persons required on duty Duties by title of each person Means of communication Procedures to top off tanks Procedures to report oil discharges 		
lotes	Total length of all hose tested Hydrostatically tested to at least 100 psi Proper threads Approved hose	46 CFR 76.10-10 46 CFR 95.10-10 MSM Ch. C2.I.6 46 CFR 91.25-20(a)(4) 46 CFR 71.25-20(a)(4)	Not	es:		

 Equipment Stowage Markings Line-throwing apparatus 	46 CFR 199.640 46 CFR 199.170	 Radio equipment Radios, RDF, Loran Electronic position fixing device tested GMDSS meets requirements for vessel operating area 	33 CFR 26.03 SOLAS 74/78 V/7 SOLAS 74/78 V/12 33 CFR 164.41 NVIC 9-93
EquipmentRequired drills held	SOLAS 74/78 III/17.49	☐ Internal communications and control system	46 CFR 113.30
MagazineTypeLifebuoysLights	46 CFR 199.70(a) SOLAS 74/78 III/7 SOLAS 74/78 III/21	 EOT failure alarms Telephones Voice tubes Emergency loudspeaker system Public address system 	46 CFR 113.35 46 CFR 113.50
Smoke signals	SOLAS 74/78 III/27	Bell pullsPilothouse controls	
Markings Lifejackets Adult Children	46 CFR 199.70(b) SOLAS 74/78 III/7.2.2 MSM Ch. C2.H.4	 Navigation lights and signals Control panels Running lights 	72 COLREGS
 Retro-reflective tape Lights Whistles Work vests Stamped passed Number of lifejackets rejected by inspector 		 Special day and night signals Distress signals and stowage Flag signals, international code Whistle, light, bells, gongs Day and night signal devices 	46 CFR 199.60 33 CFR 81.9
Lifejacket stowage Required notices and markings Stowage lockers Wearing instructions Location instructions (passenger vessels)	46 CFR 199.70(b) SOLAS 74/78 III/7.2 46 CFR 199.80(c) 46 CFR 199.70(b)(2) 46 CFR 199.80(c) 46 CFR 199.217	 Steering gear Main gear tested (all stations) Auxiliary gear tested (all stations) Instructions and markings Rudder angle indicator 	33 CFR 164.35 MSM Ch. C4.F
Stateroom notices posted Immersion suits	46 CFR 199.80(c) 46 CFR 199.273 SOLAS 74/78 III/21 4	IlluminationAlarmsBlock diagram	46 CFR 113.43
Retro-reflective material	SOLAS 74/78 III/27.3 SOLAS 74/78 III/30.2.7	Maneuvering facts sheet with warning statements	33 CFR 164.35
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	Disengaging apparatus examined or tested and marked as required • Universal joints	46 CFR 199.45(b) SOLAS 74/78 III/41 MSM Ch. C2.H.2.b	☐ Galley	MSM Ch. B1.N.8
	Safety latchesHooksLocking knuckles		 Ventilation Means of escape from accommodation, 	46 CFR 72.05-50 46 CFR 72.10
	 Frame Motor lifeboats* Engine operating test 	46 CFR 199.45(b) SOLAS 74/78 III/41 MSM Ch. C2.H.9	 machinery, and other spaces Two required (some exceptions) Dead end corridors Absence of locks 	46 CFR 92.10 SOLAS 74/78 II-2/45
	 Cooling water pump Ahead and astern test Fuel tanks Searchlight test (passenger vessels) Annual fuel changed Extinguishers serviced 		 Gas freeing for repairs Current Gas Chemist Certificate for areas as required Date Chemist No. 	
	Hand-propelled lifeboats*Flemming gear	46 CFR 199.45(b)	Structural Integrity:	
	 Transmission oil Radio installation for lifeboats complies with FCC and/or international convention (where required) Portable Fixed Lifeboat operational test 	46 CFR 199.60 SOLAS 74/78 III/6	 ☐ Hull structure (list inaccessible compartments or areas) ● Decks ● Shell ● Bulkheads ● Tank tops ● Strength members 	46 CFR 72.01 46 CFR 92.01 ICLL 66 Reg. 1
	Davits • Foundations • Moving parts • Fittings	40 CFR 199.43(b) SOLAS 74/78 III/19 MSM Ch. C2.H.2.b 46 CFR 160.032 SOLAS 74/78 III/48 MSM Ch. C2.H.6	 Hull openings and closures Side ports Air ports and dead covers Refuse chutes Hatch covers Closing devices, gaskets 	46 CFR 42.15 MSM Ch. B1.E.5 ICLL 66 Regs. 12 - 23
	Fairleads, cleats, or cruciform bits Falls (date last renewed or end-for-ended)	46 CFR 199.190(j) SOLAS 74/78 III/48 MSM Ch. C2.H.8	Light / water test Deck openings and closures Closing devices	MSM Ch. B1.E.5 ICLL 66 Regs. 12 - 20
* Item	s tested in conjunction with Abandon Ship Drill.		Gaskets Light / water test	
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Lifeboat equipment and stowage (use table below to determine required equipment)

46 CFR 199.175 SOLAS 74/78 III/41

· · · · · ·	table below to determine req		30EA3 74/76 11/41			
Item Number	ltem		ational age	Short International Voyage		
Number		Lifeboat	Rescue Boat	Lifeboat	Rescue Boat	
1	Bailer ¹	1	1	1	1	
2	Bilge pump ²	1		1		
3	Boathook	2	1	2	1	
4	Bucket ³	2	1	2	1	
5	Can opener	3		3		
6	Compass	1	1	1	1	
7	Dipper	1		1		
8	Drinking cup	1		1		
9	Fire extinguisher	1	1	1	1	
10	First aid kit	1	1	1	1	
11	Fishing kit	1				
12	Flashlight	1	1	1	1	
13	Hatchet	2		2		
14	Heaving line	2	2	2	2	
15	Jackknife	1		1		
16	Knife ^{1,4}		1		1	
17	Ladder	1	1	1	1	
18	Mirror, signalling	1		1		
19	Oars, units 5,6	1	1	1	1	
20	Painter	2	1	2	1	
21	Provisions (units/persons)	1				
22	Pump ⁷		1		1	
23	Radar reflector	1	1	1	1	
24	Rainwater collection device	1		1		
25	Repair kit ⁷		1		1	
26	Sea anchor	1	1	1	1	
27	Searchlight	1	1	1	1	
28	Seasickness kit (units/person)	1		1		

	Hull marks Name Hailing port Official number Net tonnage Draft marks Legible Properly sized Properly spaced Load line marks	46 CFR 78.50-10 46 CFR 97.40-10
	Conform to certificateLegible	46 CFR 97.40-15 ICLL 66 Reg. 4-9
Integral Cargo Tanks:		
	Warning notices and signals posted	46 CFR 70.05-30 46 CFR 90.05-35
	Pumps Pumps and controls Relief valves Piping-valves Lighting and wiring Cofferdams	46 CFR 70.05-30 46 CFR 90.05-35 46 CFR 111.105
	Cargo spaces Trunks and hatches Ullage openings Liquid level gauges Deck penetrations Heating coils Internal examination	46 CFR 91.15-1 46 CFR 91.25-37
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